Dark Threshold (for Brenda) R. Lawson 3/31/04

A mournful sound trembles o'er the ridge Of your old home now far away And my true love lies o'er the bridge That I must cross myself some day

Your burden's lifted, my sorrow's deep My life's companion, thee would I keep But you have traveled cross death's dark threshold I've shed the tears that living brings

if I could change only a few things I'd ease the hurt that you've endured An angry taunt, a selfish sting a kindness I may have obscured

but every day my love increased I hope this added to your peace But you have traveled cross death's dark threshold my passion's just memories of you

o, fairest maid, I loved you true and I now tell it to the sky darling mine, I must bid adieu here is my prayer as home you fly

may you shine bright in eternity and, if you will, please wait for me now you have traveled cross death's dark threshold and one day I will join you there A mournful sound trembles o'er the ridge Of your old home now far away And my true love lies o'er the bridge That I will cross myself some day

